

The background of the slide is a dense pattern of bright green clover leaves. A horizontal band of a lighter, yellowish-green color runs across the middle of the image, serving as a background for the text.

GPSS Senate Meeting

March 8th, 2017

A group of people dressed as leprechauns in green suits and hats with shamrocks, dancing and celebrating in a parade. They have orange beards and are raising their arms. The scene is outdoors on a city street with buildings in the background. A yellow semi-transparent banner is overlaid across the middle of the image.

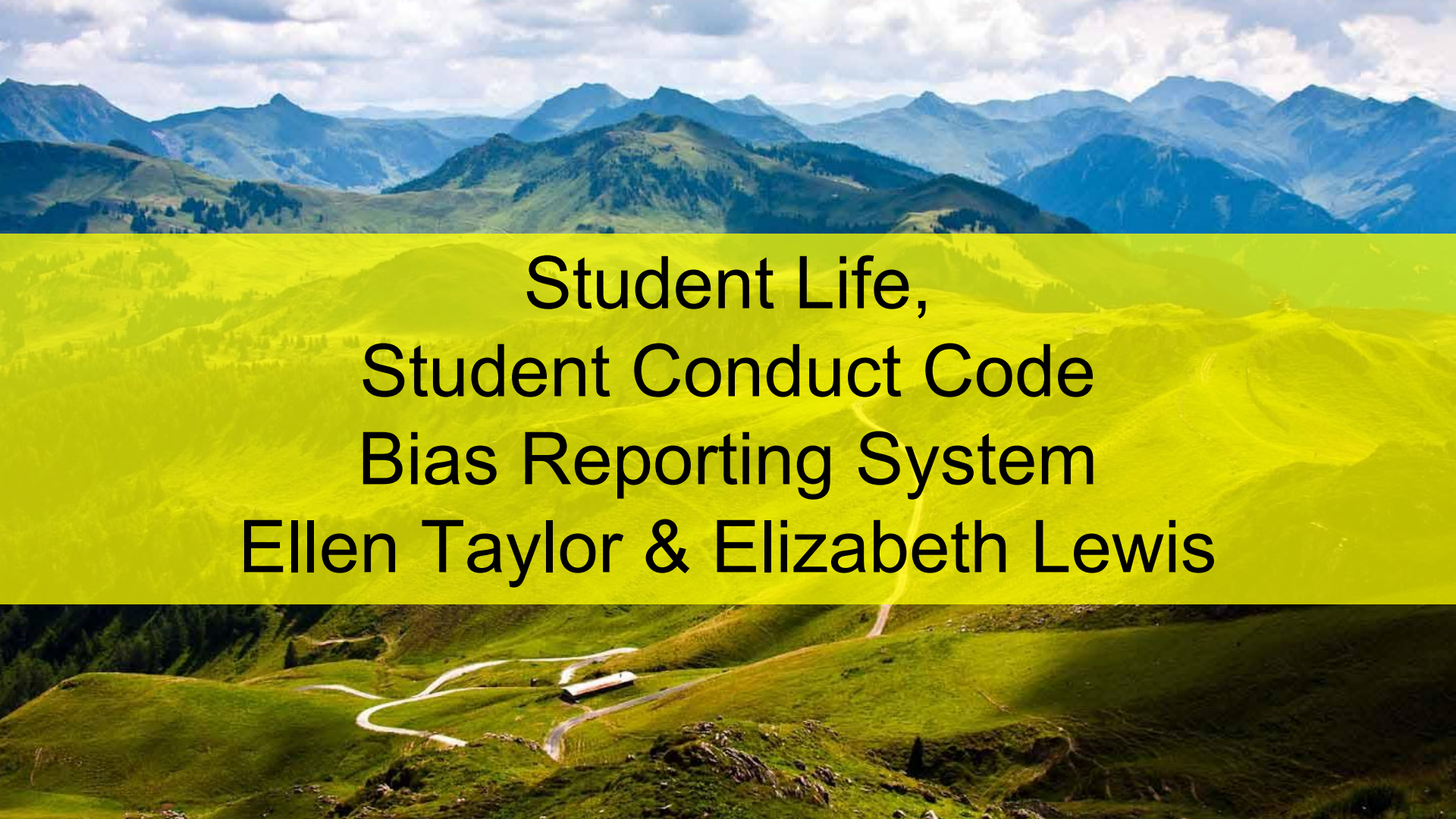
Call to Order



Approval of Agenda

A group of children in green costumes are dancing in a parade on a city street. The children are wearing green sequined dresses, green tights, and green shoes. They are holding hands and dancing in a line. The background shows a city street with buildings and other people. A yellow banner is overlaid on the image with the text "Approval of Minutes".

Approval of Minutes



Student Life,
Student Conduct Code
Bias Reporting System
Ellen Taylor & Elizabeth Lewis

Fact finding
by Conduct Officer

No

Convert
?

Yes

Not Converted:

Parties will have the opportunity to request a “full hearing” later in the process

Converted:

Initiate scheduling a “full hearing” that will satisfy full adjudicative proceedings requirements under APA

Fact
Finding

Fact finding
by Conduct Officer

Full Hearing
with Hearing Officer

Convert
?

Yes

Adds "a full hearing" before a
"hearing officer" and a final decision
made by the hearing officer

Fact Finding

Fact finding by Conduct Officer

Full Hearing with Hearing Officer

Convert ?

Yes

Fact Finding and Full Hearing with Hearing Officer

Full Hearing:

- Conduct Officer
- Parties
- Other witnesses

Fact Finding and Full Hearing
with Hearing Officer

Initial Order
from Full Hearing

Administrative
review?

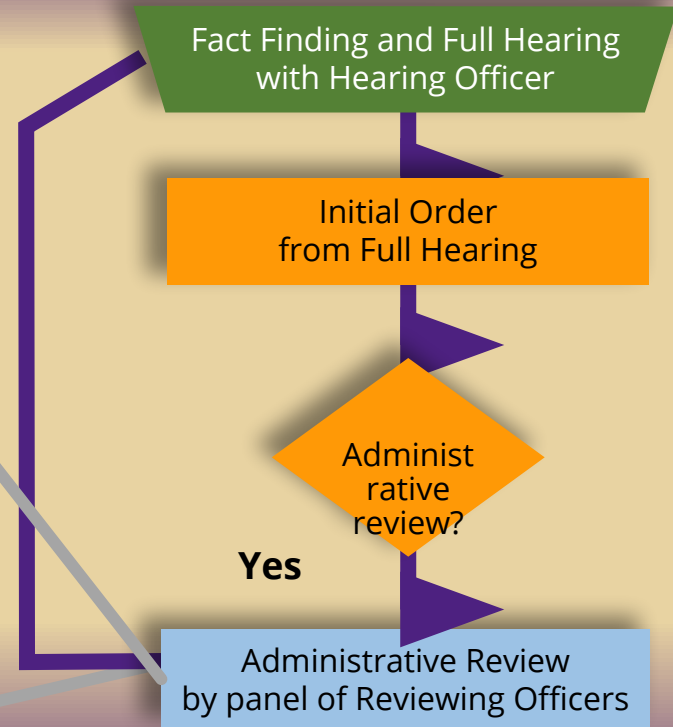
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Final Order

Administrative Review:

- Reducing or increasing the sanction and issuing a final order or
- Determining whether there are other grounds that warrant modification of the initial order
- Remanding the matter back to the Hearing Officer, such as if a party presents newly discovered evidence as part of the administrative review

Panel made up of either Faculty or Faculty and Students



Fact Finding and Full Hearing
with Hearing Officer

Initial Order
from Full Hearing

Administrative Review
by panel of Reviewing Officers

Final Order

Opportunity to seek
reconsideration by decision
maker of any final order
must be offered

Fact finding
by Conduct Officer

Initiate
Full
Hearing?

No

Initial Order
by Conduct Officer

Fact finding
by Conduct Officer

Initiate
Full
Hearing?

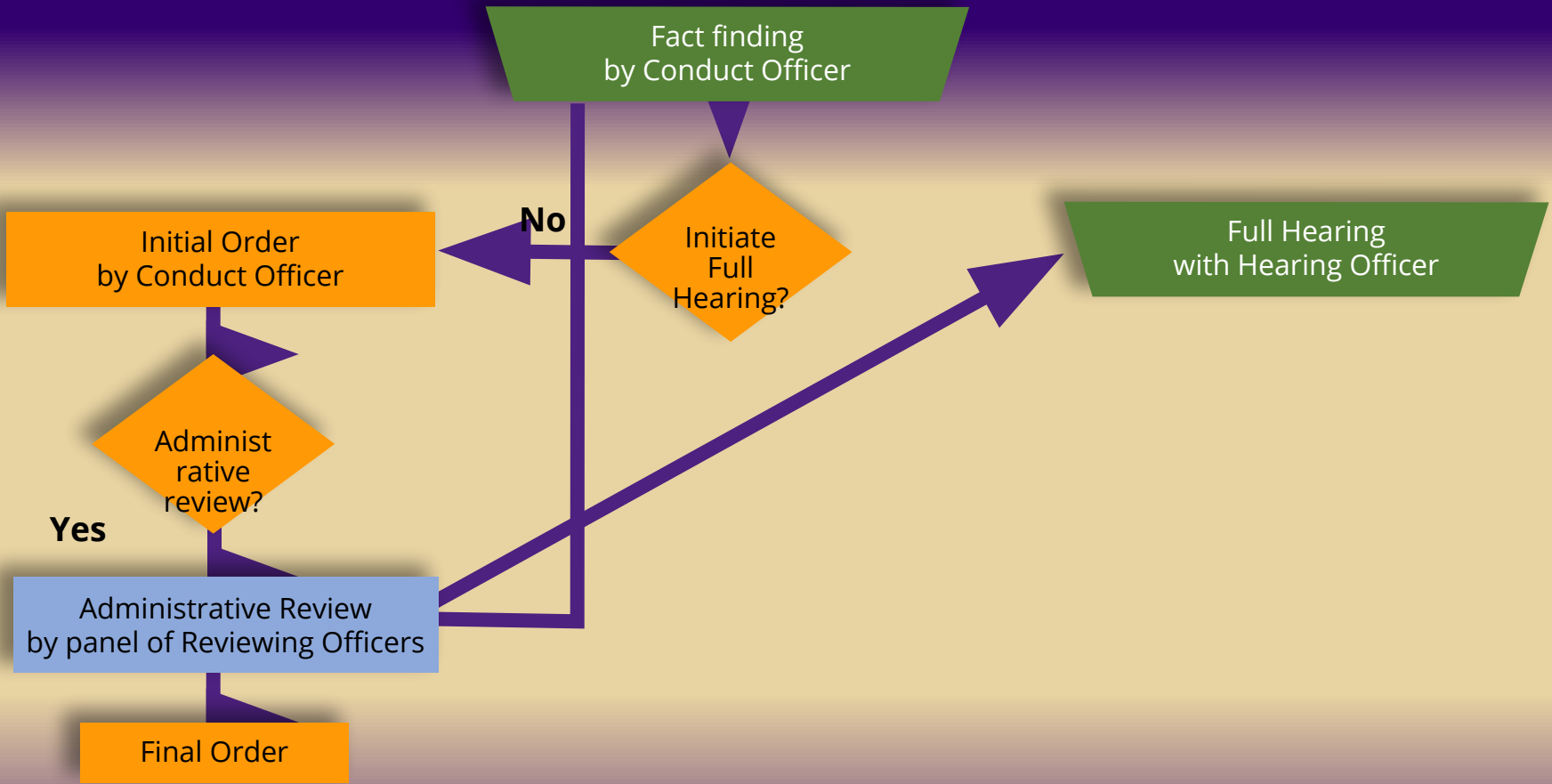
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Initial Order
by Conduct Officer

Administ
rative
review?

No

Final Order from
Conduct Officer



An aerial photograph of a rural landscape. In the upper left, there is a small, irregularly shaped pond surrounded by green grass and trees. To the right of the pond is a large, dense forest of trees with varying shades of green. Below the pond and forest, there are several large, curved fields. One field is a vibrant yellow, while others are green or brown, suggesting different crops or stages of growth. The overall scene is a mix of natural and agricultural elements.

Student Legal Services

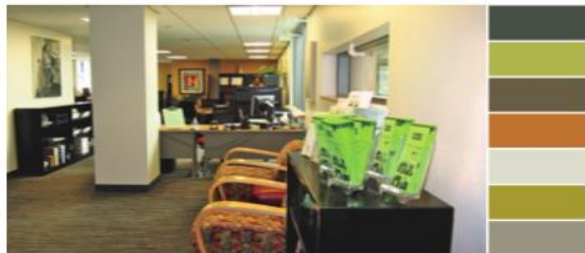
LIMITS TO ASSISTANCE

SLS can provide a consultation but not ongoing representation in these legal matters:

- Disputes involving the UW
- Fee-generating personal injury cases
- Business formation
- Bankruptcy
- Intellectual property
- Immigration
- Tax

In some student versus student matters, SLS assistance is limited to a consultation.

Even if SLS cannot provide ongoing representation, SLS will suggest potential next steps. This may include referrals to law related organizations and other resources.



"Professional, efficient, clear communication—helped me to set expectations, understand the case, and pursue a logical course of action."

— Client with landlord-tenant matter

STUDENT LEGAL SERVICES

phone 206.543.6486
fax 206.543.3808
email slsuw@uw.edu
depts.washington.edu/slsuw

FOR YOUR PROTECTION, NO LEGAL
ADVICE IS GIVEN OVER THE PHONE



STUDENT LEGAL SERVICES

*For over 40 years, providing low-cost legal
advice and representation
to UW-Seattle students*

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SEATTLE, WA 98195
206.543.6486



WHAT IS SLS?

Founded in 1969, Student Legal Services (SLS) provides free legal consultations and low-cost ongoing representation to enrolled UW-Seattle students so they can make educated legal choices with minimal disruption to their academic life.

SLS is a unit within Student Life. Because SLS is subsidized by the Services & Activities Fee (SAF), students must pay the SAF as a part of their tuition to be eligible.

As a law office, SLS is subject to legal ethics rules, including confidentiality. Our on-site staff includes a director/staff attorney, licensed legal interns who are third year law students, and undergraduate legal assistants. SLS programs exist at dozens of universities across the country.

ENHANCING JUSTICE

SLS promotes the legal health of students in many ways. We educate them about their rights and responsibilities, provide legal advice and resources, negotiate disputes, represent them in court, and prepare them for small claims matters.

Students often hire SLS for the following:

- Contracts
- Landlord/tenant disputes
- Consumer and credit issues
- Dissolutions (divorces), parenting, and child support
- Estate planning (wills, trusts, powers of attorney, health care directives)
- Criminal and traffic matters
- Insurance coverage disputes
- Non-injury car or bike accidents

HOW TO MEET WITH SLS

Call 206.543.6486 or stop by HUB 306 to make an appointment for a free 40 minute consultation.

Prepare for your consultation! Bring relevant documents, a timeline, and questions you want SLS to address.



IS THERE A COST?

The initial 40 minute consultation is free. Students receive unlimited free consultations as long as the issues or parties are unrelated.

For ongoing representation, SLS bills most matters at \$15 per hour, plus a \$10 or \$15 administrative fee. Students with extreme financial hardship may apply for a fee waiver or reduction of the hourly rate.

Top 10 Issues UW Students Have as Tenants

1. Security deposits
2. Repairs and maintenance
3. Unsatisfactory living conditions
4. Nonresponsive landlords
5. Rental housing at risk of foreclosure
6. Expectations about shared housing
7. Moving out early
8. Subletting
9. Evictions
10. Utilities

Top 10 Financial Issues for UW Students

1. Identity theft
2. Misleading sales practices
3. Scams and fraud
4. Internet sales and purchases
5. Exploitation by family or friends
6. Lending money
7. Out-of-control debt
8. Credit and debit cards
9. Wage claims
10. Student loan debt

A green leprechaun hat with a gold buckle and a pile of gold coins on a dark green wooden surface. The coins are scattered around the hat, some overlapping. The background is a dark green, textured surface.

GPSS Budget FY 2018



Officer Reports

VP of Internal Affairs

GSEC - Calling for NEW members!!!

- Want advocate for graduate and professional student issues?
- Promote GPSS services and goals throughout the greater UW?
- Assess grad student needs for improved programming?
- Contact Sarah -
gpssvpin@uw.edu

Science and Policy Steering Committee:

- White paper project office hours
- Friday 3/10 and 3/17
- 1-5pm
- HUB 314

Want a friendly recap of senate meetings and other GPSS activities?

ENJOY OUR NEW BLOG!
“Senate with Sam”

Find it on the GPSS website

VP of External Affairs

OLYMPIA

- **SB 5525, Student Veterans' Mental Health:**
 - PASSED THE SENATE!
 - Scheduled for appropriations in the House, looking very positive.
- **HB 1433, Decoupling S&A Fees:**
 - PASSED THE HOUSE!
 - Onto the Senate, will have a difficult time. Need students help to call offices!
- **HB 1410, Student Loan Bill of Rights:**
 - PASSED THE HOUSE!
 - Onto Senate, likely will not get heard.
- **Budget:**
 - Discussions just beginning, will need to ensure \$ appropriated toward Higher Ed is satisfactory!
 - Working on ensuring funding for UW-Med, Parrington, and seismic renovations.

FLAB

Meeting: Friday, 03/10, 8:30 AM
FINAL CHANCE to provide input on
GPSS Federal Talking Points.

GPSS delegation will meet with Congress in DC to discuss these issues as part of SAGE, 3/26-3/30.

CALL YOUR REPS DAYS

- During the Spring quarter, GPSS will be hosting monthly "Call Your Reps" days to advocate for state and federal issues and support for higher ed!
- Dates TBA, Food and Drinks will be served!

Secretary

Updates-

- Funded more RSO Diversity Events for Spring Quarter
- Working on GPSS Promotional Material
- Yacht Club Resolution failed by ASUW BoD

Spring Plans-

- Funding more Diversity
- Community Outreach Event
- Getting promotional material out to GPA's for new students
- Organizing the archive online
- Organizing the office
- Getting everything set up and ready for an easy transition into next year

Treasurer

- Fiscal Year 2018 Budget
- Finishing up Budget Documents for Services and Activities Fee (SAF)
- GPSS budget presentation to SAF on March 31
- F&B- accepting proposals for Spring RSO events & departments
- SAF has been hearing budget proposals & discussing the 5 year budget forecast

President

2017-18 UW Housing Rates Proposal by HFS
: **1.82% for housing & 2% increase for dining plan**

- for more information visit

<https://www.washington.edu/regents/files/2017/03/2017-03-F-5.pdf>

ISHIP

about 5,500 user enrollment in 2015-2016

Federal guidelines requires a change from academic to calendar year claims

Plan design option of utilizing the “Prime” network for Seattle
without Swedish: -4.0%

\$310 -> \$ 327 per quarter; \$1240 -> \$1308 per year - +5.0%

International Student Fee will be suspended indefinitely
beginning from 2017 Summer



President

Advisory Committee on Trademarks and Licensing

Its licensing relationship with Nike being discussed due to complaints of its working conditions; ACTL researching whether a provision allowing quarterly monitoring could be added to the University's licensing agreement with Nike

Student Regent Finalist Advisory Committee

started last week with members from 3 campuses.

Please spread words for **a more diverse and wider pool of applicants**. Contact Elloise at gpsspres@uw.edu for any question in regards to this application.

SAGE in D.C. from Mar. 26 (Sun) to 29 (Wed)

“ I have come to believe over and over again that what is most important to me must be spoken, made verbal and shared, even at the risk of having it bruised or misunderstood.”

- Audre Lorde, “The Transformation of Silence into Language and Action”

A close-up photograph of a woman wearing a vibrant green and yellow costume. She is blowing into a megaphone that has a white body and an orange end. The woman's face is partially obscured by a yellow semi-transparent banner that contains the word "Announcements". The background is a soft, out-of-focus grey.

Announcements



Security Camera Update Bucoda Warren

IFAP & APALSA PRESENT

BREAKING THE SILENCE:

THE STORY OF AN UNDOCUMENTED API IMMIGRANT

MONDAY, APRIL 3RD

PRE-DISCUSSION Q&A:

11:30-12:20 IN ROOM 115

EVENT SCREENING & DISCUSSION:

12:30-1:20 IN ROOM 127

**WITH
JU HONG**

Born in South Korea, Ju Hong followed his mom and older sister on a tourist visa in 2001 to seek a better life in the United States. When he couldn't locate his social security number for his college applications, he found out that he was undocumented and living without legal status. In 2013, he interrupted President Obama urging for a halt to deportations of millions of undocumented immigrants and their families.

Despite recent changes in immigration policy, Ju's mom and sister still cannot qualify for benefits and thus, remain at risk of deportation



Adjournment

Morphsuits

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